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In re U.S. Patent No. 6,849,778	§	
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Issued: February 1, 2005	§	
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Based on U.S. Patent Application	§	
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Serial No.: 09/688,851	§	
	§	Atty. Dkt. No.: 11920.0122.000000
Filed: October 16, 2000	§	
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For: METHODS AND VECTORS FOR SITE-	§	
SPECIFIC RECOMBINATION IN PLANT	§	
CELL PLASTIDS	§	

CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS
ELECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 3.71 and 3.73 AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

The undersigned, being assignee of this patent by virtue of the chain of Assignments identified below, hereby elects, under 37 C.F.R. § 3.71, to prosecute the application to the exclusion of the inventor(s).

Assignee Calgene LLC hereby revokes any previous Powers of Attorney and appoints Janelle D. Waack, Reg. No. 36,300, and Patricia A. Kammerer, Reg. No. 29,775, with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute the application, to make alterations and amendments therein, to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office in connection therewith, to receive any Letters Patent, and to conduct any interference proceedings relating to this patent.

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 3.73, the undersigned has reviewed the chain of assignment referenced below:

- (i) Assignment from Jeffrey M. Staub, Peter T.J. Hajdukiewicz and Larry Gilbertson to Monsanto Company, recorded January 19, 2001, at Reel 011477, Frame 0346; and
- (ii) Corrective Assignment to Correct Assignee Name from Jeffrey M. Staub, Peter T.J. Hajdukiewicz and Larry Gilbertson to Calgene LLC, recorded November 19, 2004, at Reel 015392, Frame 0789.

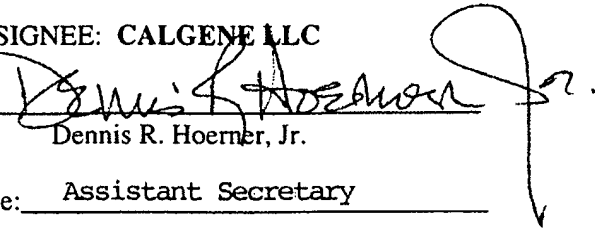
and certifies that to the best of my knowledge and belief, title remains in the name of Calgene LLC.

Pursuant to MPEP § 324(2), the undersigned avers that he/she is empowered to sign this statement on behalf of assignee Calgene LLC.

Date: March 8, 2006

ASSIGNEE: CALGENE LLC

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